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The problem:

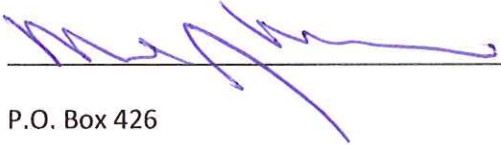
The Mackenzie Environmental Center in 2012 held sessions for over 16,000 students from around Wisconsin. This is a state icon for all, a crown jewel. With-out warning, or public comments in the form of holding open meetings, the WDNR cancelled the contract of the WWF and stopped funding the environmental end of the Center with revenue from the purchases of hunting licenses as it has done for many years. Promises made, not always kept.

The solution:

As the WDNR looks for alternative sources of funding, and in the event that fails, or falls short, would you support the use of hunting monies in an effort to keep the center open for the students who seek to learn about environmental practices? The use of hunting license revenue usage would be an alternative source to keep the center open for the youth of today, the adults of tomorrow.

Be it resolved, that the Conservation Congress attendees' at its annual meeting held in Portage Wisc, Columbia County 2013 recommends that the WCC work with the WDNR to take action to correct the problem at present, and insure the Center's future for decades to come

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